

**Chapter 40. State Medical Board.**

12 AAC 40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

**12 AAC 40.046. Temporary military courtesy licenses.** (a) The board, executive administrator, or the board's designee shall issue a temporary military courtesy license to an active duty military member or spouse of an active duty military member of the armed forces of the United States to practice medicine, osteopathy, or physician assistant who meets the requirements of AS 08.01.063 and this section within 30 days after the board receives a completed application.

(b) An applicant for a temporary military courtesy license under this section must

(1) submit a completed application on a form provided by the department;

(2) pay the temporary license application and license fees set out under

12 AAC 02.105;

(3) submit a copy of the applicant's military identification or military dependent identification card and a copy of current active duty military orders showing assignment to a duty station in this state;

(4) hold a current unencumbered license to practice as a physician, osteopath, or physician assistant in another jurisdiction, or holds a retired license under AS 08.64.276 that has been issued less than two years;

(5) if a physician or osteopath,

(A) verification of a current license to practice medicine or osteopathy in good standing and not under investigation or verification of a retired license issued under AS 08.64.276;

(B) clearance from the Federation of State Medical Boards;

(C) clearance from the National Practitioner Data Bank; and

(D) clearance from the federal Drug Enforcement Administration;

(6) if a physician assistant,

(A) verification of a current license to practice medicine in good standing and not under investigation in the jurisdiction in which the applicant resides;

(B) clearance from the Federation of State Medical Boards;

(C) clearance from the National Practitioner Data Bank; and

(D) clearance from the federal Drug Enforcement Administration.

(c) A temporary military courtesy license is valid for 180 days and may be extended at the discretion of the board for one additional 180-day period, on application of the holder of the temporary military courtesy license.

(d) A temporary military courtesy license holder is subject to all relevant provisions of AS 08.64, this chapter, and any other statutes or regulations governing the practice of medicine and the prescription of drugs in this state.

(e) The board may refuse to issue a temporary military courtesy license or an emergency courtesy license for the same reasons it may deny, suspend, or revoke a license under AS 08.64.326. (Eff. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_, Register \_\_\_\_)

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